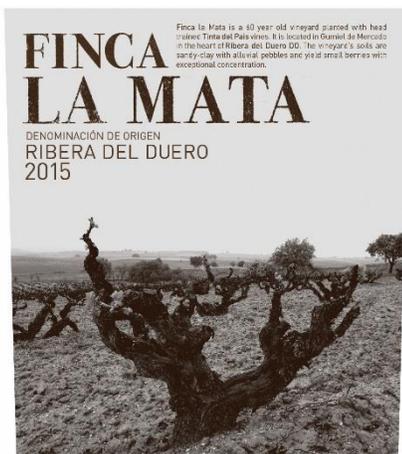


# Finca la Mata 2015 (Red Wine)



Isaac Fernandez Seleccion is a unique collaborative venture between two individuals – Isaac Fernandez, one of Spain’s most acclaimed winemakers and Aurelio Cabestrero whose vision and commitment to Spanish wines has helped bring them forefront in the United States.

Both partners have a long history in Ribera del Duero; Isaac has made wines from Ribera fruit for over 20 years and Aurelio has relatives with a winery within the DO. They started their project in Ribera del Duero in 2010 producing two wines. Finca la Mata, named for the single old vine vineyard where the fruit is grown, offers more richness, depth and complexity and can be drunk upon release or with up to 5+ years of bottle age.

<b>Appellation</b>	Ribera del Duero D.O.
<b>Grapes</b>	100% Tinta del Pais (Tempranillo), from 60-year-old bush vines
<b>Altitude / Soil</b>	900 meters / sandy clay with abundant gravel
<b>Farming Methods</b>	Traditional methods
<b>Harvest</b>	Hand harvested into small boxes, bunches hand sorted at the winery again prior to processing
<b>Production</b>	Destemmed & lightly crushed prior to fermentation with native microbes, 2 weeks of skin maceration
<b>Aging</b>	Aged for 8 months in a combination of 80% French and 20% American
<b>UPC / SCC / Pack</b>	8-437005-780361 / 8-437005-780385 / 12

## Reviews:

“(aged for eight months in 80 percent French and 20 percent American oak barrels, one-third of them new) Inky purple. Smoke-accented blue fruit and violet pastille aromas, along with hints of incense and licorice. Sappy black raspberry and blueberry flavors smoothly blend richness and vivacity and pick up a spicy nuance as the wine stretches out. Closes smooth, long and appealingly sweet, featuring sneaky tannins and an echo of ripe blue fruit. 2020 - 2025” **91 Points, *Vinous Media***; January 2017

